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New Patent Application

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Title:

MINERAL STAINS FOR WOOD AND OTHER SUBSTRATES

Sir:

Please find attached hereto an application for patent. It is hereby requested that this application be accorded a filing date pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b). Enclosed are:

X Specification (25 pages), Claims (36 total, 4 independent), and Abstract (1 pages);

X Declaration/Power of Attorney (unsigned). A signed copy will follow.

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